

Tempe Municipal Court Presents Law Day 2007 Contest

Liberty Under Law: Empowering Youth, Assuring Democracy



THEME: This Theme prompts us to listen to the voices of young people and consider how the law can better serve their needs and interests. It also encourages us to ensure that our youth are equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to make their voices heard within our democracy. Celebrate LAW DAY by helping young people understand their rights and responsibilities under the law in order to become effective participants in our nation's civic life.

THE CONTEST: Draw, paint, sketch, or make a collage of how you imagine "***Liberty Under Law: Empowering Youth, Assuring Democracy***" concept might look in a picture. The art project can be as simple as a crayon on paper drawing or as complex of a medium that you may want to use. All entries are welcome and will be hung for display in the Tempe City Council Chambers.

WHO MAY PARTICIPATE: All 5th, 6th, 7th or 8th grade students in the City of Tempe.



DEADLINE: All entries should be ready for pick up by **Wednesday, April 25, 2007**. Contact Frankie Valenzuela at 480-350-8454 for information regarding entry pick up.

AWARDS: The top three winners in each of the two categories (5th and 6th graders in one category, 7th and 8th graders in the second category) will be invited to attend a city council meeting and receive their award certificate and cash prize on Thursday, May 3, 2007. All participants will receive a certificate of participation signed by the Mayor and the Presiding Judge.

For more information on the Law Day 2007 contest, please contact Judge MaryAnne Majestic at 480-350-8328.